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TO: Each Supervisor
FROM: Calvin C. Remington
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SUBJECT: DEATH OF A MINOR

This is to advise your Board of the death of 18-year-old juvenile probationer, Jorge R. on October 6, 2011. The following is the Probation record with sustained charges for Jorge R.:

- Age 16 - 03/03/09 - 243.4 (E) 1 Penal Code (Sexual Battery) - 725 (A) WIC (Supervision without Wardship) ordered on 10/06/10.
- Age 16 - 05/23/09 - 594 (B) (1) Penal Code (Vandalism), 602 (L) Penal Code Trespass: Occupy Property Without Consent) - 725 (A) WIC (Supervision Without Wardship) ordered 10/06/10.
- Age 16 - 422 Penal Code (Terrorist Threats) - 790 WIC (Deferred Entry of Judgment) ordered 10/06/10.

Jorge R. was criminally charged through adult court and was on Adult Probation at the time of his death.

- Age 18 - 11359 Health and Safety Code, (Possession of Marijuana) - ordered formal probation for 36 months on 12/11/2010; Served 10 days County Jail.
- Age 18 - 602 (M) Penal Code (Trespassing), 647 (A) Penal Code (Lewd Act) - 36 months Summary Probation, 90 days County Jail ordered on 06/09/2011.

Probation received notification regarding the death of Jorge R. from the Coroner's Office on October 11, 2011. Jorge R. was serving a 90 day sentence in the Los Angeles County Jail. At 12:42 a.m., County Jail staff observed the Jorge R. in his cell and unresponsive. He was removed from his cell and CPR was performed. Medical personnel were summoned and he was transported to LAC/USC E/R where death was pronounced at 1:30 a.m. The Coroner's report indicated the Jorge R. had a history of cardiac issues.

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This matter is under review. Should there be any significant findings, we will inform your Board.

CCR:hjc

c: Honorable Michael Nash, Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court
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